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ROADS MOVE TO MEET EMERGENCY NEEDS

Roads of East Take Drastic Measures to Relieve Coal and Food Shortage

DISPATCH RUSH ORDERS

Interstate Commerce Commission Working with the Railroad Men

EXPECT QUICK RELIEF

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Drastic measures of precaution were adopted today by the chief railroads of the east to meet varying emergency needs for coal and foodstuffs from the Mississippi river to Maine, due to the shortage and congestion of freight cars.

Dispatch Rush Orders.

Chief of these measures was the dispatch of rush orders to all roads concerned for the prompt transportation of gas, coal and coke to eighteen towns and cities, including Chicago, Detroit, Indianapolis, Toledo and Springfield, Ill., in the middle west where it was announced "possible interruption" of light, heat and power service would result unless the shortage and congestion of freight cars.

The shortage was said to be the most acute at Indianapolis where the coal supply for gas was reported to be only three days ahead of requirements.

Chicago's 109,000-ton emergency store of gas coke has been cut to 25,000 tons, barely sufficient for three weeks supply, although Chicago was said to be better supplied than any other city on the list.

Message Draws Prompt Reply.

The interstate commerce commission is working to meet the situation in co-operation with the railroad men. A telegram from President Griffin of the Chicago Board of Trade appealing for relief and asserting that riots would result unless an embargo were placed immediately on all products out of Chicago except fuel and foodstuffs stirred up considerable indignation at the commission and drew a prompt reply.

Assertions in the message were declared "erroneous" by the commission insofar as they reflected upon the steps taken by the commission to relieve the situation at Chicago.

Commissioner McChord replying to a portion of the telegram not made public which apparently charged that he had ruled that Chicago could not expect relief from the commission, declared the telegram contained "many statements which are not true."

Make Data Public.

A portion of the dispatch referring to possible food riots was not specifically answered and officials declined to comment on it. Members of the commission are understood however to regard the situation as depicted by Mr. Griffin as highly improbable. Commissioners declined also to comment on dispatches from Chicago indicating that the Chicago board of trade might request President Wilson and congress to take the entire car shortage and congestion situation out of the commission's hands. Data compiled by the American railway association was made public showing appreciable diminution at New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore of the number of cars of export freight on hand and the number of bushels of wheat held in elevators and cars awaiting ocean transportation.

Officials of the association declared the situation had improved perceptibly within the last fortnight and while the pinch would probably be felt here and there in certain commodities there was little likelihood of a general foodstuff or fuel shortage in the east. The car shortage is said to be less acute than it was a year ago.

In this connection it became known that a week ago virtually every town and city in New England faced a flour famine and that livestock all thru New England was starving for lack of grain and feed.

Prompt action by the railroads in shipping feed, flour and grain ahead of passenger trains from Minneapolis had temporarily relieved the pinch.

Ordered Roads to Move Cars.

At that time it was learned the commission ordered the railroads to strain every effort to extricate the thousands of empty cars from their congested yards and rush them west for grain and flour to be brought east. New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and other cities were threatened by a serious flour shortage.

One of the roads protested that the empties were frozen to the rails and that it would be impossible to get them out and was told to use dynamite if necessary.

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FOOD COST PROBE WAITS FOR APPROPRIATION

President Approves Request for \$400,000 for Inquiry

Trade Commission Outlines Investigation to Cost \$400,000 and to Cover a Period of From Eight to Ten Months.

Washington, Feb. 21.—No move will be made by the federal trade commission to begin the food cost investigation ordered by President Wilson, it was learned today, until Congress appropriates money with which to conduct it. The president approved a request for \$400,000 for the inquiry and the commission has outlined an investigation to cost that sum and to cover a period of from eight to ten months. The president has let it be known that the appropriation should be made before Congress adjourns.

To Make Special Probe.

Boston, Feb. 21.—The recent jump in food prices here will be the subject of special investigation by the federal grand jury, United States Attorney George W. Anderson announced today. The inquiry which will begin next Tuesday he stated will be directed to determine how far, if at all, these marked increases are due to acts obnoxious to the federal government proposes to use its full power to prevent extortion.

In a formal statement the district attorney said:

"It should not be overlooked that many of these recent high prices are not improbably due to local intra-state combinations, with these, the state, county and city authorities and not the federal government must deal.

"Incidentally it may be worth while to call attention to the fact that under no existing law, state or national can some of the main causes for high prices be dealt with. Some of those chief causes are the following:

"The infiltration of money due to increased gold supply. The per capita circulation of money in January, 1917, was \$42, which is almost exactly double what it was 20 years ago. Commodity prices have almost doubled in the same 20 years, in other words the increase of money alone counts for the money cost of living being double what it was twenty years ago.

"The great European war is the most destructive force ever known in the history of mankind.

"All the main food crops for 1916, except rice, were somewhat below the average.

"The inordinate waste and inefficiency of American industrial and domestic life aggravate the evils.

"Inadequacy, inefficiency and lack of coordination of our transportation system greatly aggravate conditions otherwise exceedingly serious. Probably the accumulation of freight at the ocean terminals and gateways during the last few days has made a bad transportation situation much worse.

"Last night statement of these general causes be misunderstood I also should add that they do not account for the panic, runaway prices of the last few days. Those are undoubtedly due in part to newspaper clamor, partly to panic and partly to schemes of extortion which ought to be punishable by some law, federal or state."

MUSTER OUT THIRD REGIMENT OF GUARD

FOOT SHERIDAN, Ill., Feb. 21.—The third regiment Illinois infantry was mustered out of the United States service today and officers and men returned to their homes after having seen service on the Mexican border.

Three trains carried the twelve companies from the fort and these were later divided as the companies separated for their several destinations.

Colonel Greene directed that the first companies to entrain should be those recruited from Ottawa, Pontiac, Kankakee and Hooperston so that all might reach their homes before night.

"All of the boys are well and of course glad to go home," said Colonel Greene who returns to Aurora. They will be ready for duty again on short notice should there be occasion for the Third to take the field."

REPORTS SINKING OF NEWFOUNDLAND SHIP

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Feb. 21.—Captain Bradbury of the Newfoundland schooner Rose Dorothea reported to the owners here today that the vessel had been sunk by a German submarine and the crew landed at Lisbon. The message sent from London gave no other details. London despatches yesterday gave the schooner's name as Dorothy.

The Rose Dorothea, which was returning from Oporto, Portugal, with fishery salt, formerly was owned at Provincetown, Mass., but was bought last year by Campbell and McKee of this city to engage in the fish carrying trade between St. Johns and European ports.

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BELIEVE CUBAN REVOLT NEAR END

Further Reassuring Advices From Havana Strengthen Opinion of the State Department Officials.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Further reassuring reports from Havana today strengthened the opinion of state department officials that the insurrection of the Cuban liberals is nearing an end. It is realized, however, that a most complex political situation has been left in the trail of the attempted revolution.

President Menocal's term of office expires May 20 and until a special election order for the orient province is held, his party the conservatives cannot claim his re-election. Alfred Zayas, who was his opponent on the Liberal ticket, has been classed as a traitor because of his supposed leadership in the insurrection and it is believed the president will make him eligible for election by failing to prosecute him.

With the elimination of the liberal candidate Menocal may be forced to force a new general election called.

The United States government will continue its policy of supporting the constituted government.

UPHOLDS VALIDITY OF DUNNE'S DEEP WATERWAY

Illinois Supreme Court Gives Decision in 115 Cases

Upholds Deficiency Appropriations Passed by Last Legislature and Attacked by Fergus—Holds Relief Claim Appropriations Valid.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 21.—The constitutionality of the Dunne deepwaterway act was upheld today by the Illinois supreme court in a decision handed down at the close of the February term. The court gave decision in 115 cases.

The court also upheld the validity of deficiency appropriations passed by the last legislature and attacked by J. M. Fergus of Chicago. Relief claim appropriations passed by the last legislature and also attacked by Fergus were held valid.

Reverses Lower Court Decisions

In the Dunne deepwaterway case the supreme court reversed the decision of the Sangamon county circuit court holding the act invalid and directed the lower court to dismiss the bill of complaint.

The lower court in holding the act unconstitutional said it did not provide for a deepwaterway under the terms of the \$20,000,000 constitutional bond issue.

The intent of the constitutional amendment was clearly to allow the legislature to say what would be a national prohibition amendment short of a national prohibition amendment. It would cut off entirely liquor importations, amounting now to millions of dollars annually into the large number of states which have forbidden manufacture or sale, but have permitted importation for personal use.

Advocates of prohibition divided among themselves over the expediency of the step, some friends of the cause declaring so drastic a law would have a reactionary effect. In the same way those who have opposed prohibition were not unanimous in opposition when the vote was taken.

The roll call brought cheers and cries of "bone dry" from all parts of the house, however, and the result was greeted with a noisy demonstration.

The vote as officially announced was 321 to 72, but a re-check of the roll changed it to 319 to 72. Party lines were completely broken down and numerous representatives from prohibition states were recorded in the negative. So large a vote seldom is recorded on any measure.

Will Go To Conference.

A provision barring liquor advertisements from the mails in states that prohibit such advertising is included in the measure, which came before the house as a rider to the annual postoffice appropriation bill, inserted by the senate last week on motion of Senator Reed by a vote of 55 to 11. Altho the appropriation bill will go to conference because the house disagreed to other Senate amendments there is little possibility that the prohibition amendment will be agreed to without change will be agreed. Members of congress are taking it for granted that President Wilson will approve it.

Altho some members had given it as their opinion that the legislative features added to the postal bill would not be effective until July 1, the effective date of the appropriations it carries, senators and representatives who are considered authorities said tonight that all the legislative riders including the Reed prohibition amendment undoubtedly would become operative as soon as the president had signed the measure.

Dry advocates were jubilant tonight. Representative Webb of North Carolina, father of the resolution for a national prohibition amendment, declared the overwhelming affirmative vote had killed the states' rights argument and that the national amendment, already reported favorably certainly would pass the house at this session. The national legislative committee of the anti-saloon league issued a statement saying today's action had "cleared the decks" for the national amendment.

Has Not Exhausted Power.

The legislature may in future appropriate for a deeper and wider canal within the limits of the \$20,000,000 provided by the constitutional amendment, the court held.

A permit for the construction of the waterway has been refused by the war department. The only immediate effect of today's decision will be to give the state waterway commissioners their salaries. In the Fergus suit attacking the deficiency appropriations the court held that revenue means money derived from all sources rather than money derived from direct taxation as was contended in the suit. Fergus declared that the deficiency appropriations were invalid because they exceeded the amount of revenue authorized to be raised.

In ruling on this case the court also held that while the legislature may make additional appropriations, a state of emergency may not make contracts unless there is some express law which authorizes him to make contracts.

Attacked Private Relief Bill.

The other suit, which was decided adversely to Fergus, attacked the validity of the relief bill passed by the legislature in 1915 appropriating \$87,350 for the payment of claims against the state. Fergus contended that these claims should have been passed by the state board of claims and the legislature had no authority to pay them without the recommendation of this court. The supreme court decided that the court of claims is a statutory body not provided for in the constitution and its action can have no effect on the power of the legislature to pay claims against the state.

A large part of the Chicago sanitary district tax levy and much of the county taxes were invalidated by a ruling in the case of Stuckart vs. Mark L. Day and others. The court held that publication of official notices in a foreign language newspaper is not sufficient under the law.

Publication was made in two German newspapers.

Bond issue payments are validated and pension taxes were held good.

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PROVISION FAR REACHING

Will Add To "Bone Dry" Territory One-Third of Continental United States

WILL GO TO CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Absolute prohibition legislation took its longest forward stride in the nation's history today when the house, after two hours of uproarious debate approved by a four to one majority a Senate measure which would raise an ironclad barrier against importation of liquor into prohibition states. It is expected to receive the approval of President Wilson within a week adding immediately to the "bone dry" territory about one-third of continental United States.

Most Far-Reaching.

The provision is regarded as the most far-reaching that could be enacted by the federal government and as sweeping as would be possible under any method short of a national prohibition amendment. It would cut off entirely liquor importations, amounting now to millions of dollars annually into the large number of states which have forbidden manufacture or sale, but have permitted importation for personal use.

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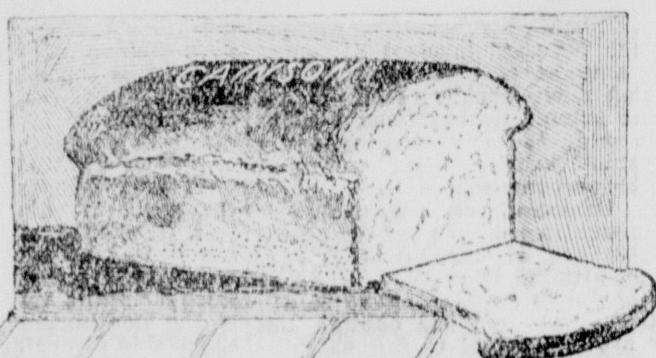
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BREAD FACTS

EVERYBODY should eat plenty of good white bread. It is wholesome, nutritious and very easy to digest.

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Bread is the cheapest food in the world because it supplies the most nutriment for the least money.

Ten cents' worth of flour contains more nourishment than ten cents' worth of any other food you can buy.

The amount of heat and muscular power furnished the body is measured in calories or fuel units. The table below (prepared from U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Bulletin No. 142) shows the amount of energy (in calories) that ten cents will buy in flour and five other staple foods:

	Calories	
Wheat flour	5440	
"	4680	
Rice	2025	
Potatoes	1970	
Cheese	750	
Salt Codfish	565	
Beef: sirloin	410	

All these foods are wholesome and desirable but, as the figures show, wheat flour gives far more for the money. Cut down the food bill by eating more bread and biscuits and less of the more expensive foods.

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LINCOLN'S TRIBUTE TO WASHINGTON.

"Washington's is the mightiest name of earth—long since mightiest in the cause of civil liberty; still mightiest in moral reformation! On that name no eulogy is expected. It cannot be. To add brightness to the sun or glory to the name of Washington is alike impossible. Let none attempt it. In solemn awe pronounce the name, and in its naked deathless splendor leave it shining on—"

PROTECTING PEOPLE FROM THEMSELVES.

It is sometimes necessary to protect people from themselves and this is the argument in favor of representative Howard's bill in the Illinois legislature to require automobiles to come to a full stop 200 feet from any railroad crossing. This would be hard on the speed demons but is a safety first measure with a lot of merit and its passage would prevent many a railroad crossing fatality.

WOULD BENEFIT ALL.

The proposal for an appropriation of \$1,200 annually by the state to such counties as employ a farm adviser should receive favorable action on the part of the Illinois legislature. This is by no means class legislation for anything that can be done to improve farming conditions and to aid in maintaining soil fertility is of benefit to the whole people. The records show that in those counties where farm advisers have been employed, that from the suggestions made and the co-operative effort resulting, production has been greatly increased.

INCREASES RIGHTS OF WIVES.

A new law now makes it possible to prosecute for wife abandonment upon the testimony of the wife. In the past it was necessary to have other proof than that of the wife's statement and the new order of things makes the procedure easier and will probably reduce the number of abandonment cases.

While in a certain class of cases there is propriety in barring the wife from testifying, certainly there is good sense and justice in permitting her to become a witness in any case so closely affecting her own welfare and that of her children.

SIFT RUMORS FOR FACTS.

U. S. citizens were all astir the other day by the news from abroad that the American legation at Brussels had been ordered to haul down the American flag. Now comes the denial and information that Brand Whitlock, the American minister, declared that no such order was given and the matter was not even discussed.

The point to the incident is that little or no credence should be placed on sensational stories and charges under present conditions until confirmation comes.

Berlin and Washington are thousands of miles apart and the means of communication are not normal, so at the best it takes several days to secure accurate information about any happening abroad.

WASHINGTON'S VISION.

Washington saw that agriculture was and must forever remain the fundamental spirit and occupation of the American people. He was by instinct and practice a farmer and probably understood the industrial side of national life better than any one of his generation.

Right alongside the political problem of an asylum for the needy Washington saw the problem of pro-

duction that would make our acres capable of feeding the increasing millions.

This continent is still full of crops of corn, cotton, wheat and potatoes, and it remains for the farmer to bring them forth successively.

Washington's incessant advice was that the people of this nation should live modestly and moderately and that the young nation should pay its debts as they were incurred.

NEW ALIGNMENT ON LIQUOR MEASURE.

The measure before the U. S. senate forbidding shipment of liquor into prohibition states even where such shipments are authorized by law for personal use, is showing an unusual alignment. Some of the special friends of prohibition are opposing the measure and some of those senators usually friendly to the liquor interests are favoring it. This change is due to the idea that a liquor law might be so strict in communities where unsupported by public sentiment that failure to enforce it would result and as a natural result anti-liquor legislation would lose ground and prestige. The tactics of some of the liquor men at this time seems to be to bring about just such a condition and so the real friends of the prohibition movement are looking upon the proposed law with suspicion.

ANOTHER BIT OF GOOD LUCK FOR FARMERS

Farmers are benefitted from the high price of foodstuffs and livestock and there is every indication that they will also be benefitted indirectly in another way from the high cost of living. For several years past there has been increasing difficulty for farmers to secure the necessary workers and in some instances even the higher wages offered have not given sufficient incentive to bridge over the trouble.

But with higher living costs, farm work with living provided is proving more attractive and men in farm employment who add to their monthly wages the amount they are receiving in board and lodging readily figure that just now farm work is paying more than a great many other lines of employment. The farmer who has work on the farm for a man and in the house for a woman now has a comparatively easy time in securing satisfactory workers whereas two or three years ago search for them was difficult and frequently unrewarded.

WEALTH AND POVERTY IN STRANGE CONTRAST.

Food riots have been rare in the history of this country and without considering conditions it is strange that one should occur at this time of almost unexampled prosperity. A food riot, just like any other riot, considered in the abstract is a foolish and useless sort of thing. But who can blame the hungry women of New York in thus voicing their protest against conditions which they cannot understand — conditions which are making life unbearable for them as they are unable to procure necessities in such quantities as will keep themselves and their children properly clothed and fed.

Just where the trouble lies is something that this government must settle. It is significant that the New York riot occurred within a few blocks of Wall street, always the money center of the U. S. and now the money mart of the world. The greatest wealth of the nations is centered there and yet within a few blocks women and children in blind rage from hunger and want were making their demonstration.

There is something wrong when two such opposite conditions are possible, existing in such close proximity.

CAPT. SWALES JUSTIFIED FOR POST HE SAID.

Capt. J. M. Swales is seeking the position of custodian of memorial hall and the Logan collection at the state house. Capt. Swales held the position some years ago and during his incumbency the department museum was built up in such a way that it became one of the greatest war museums in the country. Capt. Swales has a notable war record. He was four years in the army in the war of the Rebellion and nine months of that time was a prisoner in Andersonville, and his experiences there were among the most harrowing of the great conflict.

Thru the years since the war Capt. Swales has from time to time given evidence of his patriotism and his unswerving loyalty to the state and nation. Aside from his patriotism Capt. Swales is well versed in war history. He has not only information as to dates but from personal recollection is able to give many facts about the more notable battles of the war and about the great leaders which the war produced.

Furthermore, Capt. Swales is qualified thru personal character for this position and if he is re-appointed as custodian he can be relied upon to bring the department to a still higher state of efficiency and make it of still greater historical value to the state and nation.

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Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

VITAL TRUTHS.
The vital truths are old and gray; they're old because they're true; the vital truth we spring today, old Father Noah knew. If any man comes up, forsooth, and says that he can show a truly modern vital truth, oh, lay the fakir low. A man might rustle up a lie that bears the signs of youth, but never, friends will you desire a strictly recent truth. The vital truth is that which leads the sons of men aright, to useful lives

and goodly deeds, and records clean and white. We know that industry will pay, that honesty is great; and truths like these however gray, are never out of date. Old Adam knew them as he wrought among the first green trees, and he rehearsed them as he sought his missing swarm of bees. Oh, every blessed rule of life, that's likely to exalt, was old when Lot's devoted wife became a chunk of salt. The vital truths are but a few, and easy to adopt; the truths which seem grotesquely new don't count, and may be dropped.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

February 22, 1842—Abraham Lincoln delivered an address before the Springfield Washingtonian Temperance Society at the Second Presbyterian Church, Springfield, Illinois.

FUNERALS

Nunes
Funeral services for Mrs. Mary P. Nunes were held from Northminster Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the pastor Rev. Walter E. Spoons. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives to pay a last tribute to the memory of Mrs. Nunes. Rev. Mr. Spoons paid a beautiful tribute to Mrs. Nunes' life as a mother and as a Christian woman. He took his text from Isaiah 35:10—"The Joy of the Redeemed." From this the speaker drew a beautiful lesson of what the promise of redemption holds out for those who live in the faith.

Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. James A. Scott, Mrs. Jennie DeFreitas, John Day and John Vasconcellos. The flowers were many and beautiful and were cared for by Miss Robertine DeFreitas, Miss Esther Nunes, Mrs. Anderson Kitchen, Mrs. Marie Lynn and Mrs. James Smith.

Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being, Marshall Nunes, Edward Nunes, Robert Nunes, Benjamin Nunes, Frank Nunes and Robert K. DeFreitas.

Among those present from a distance to attend the services were Mrs. Charles C. Shert of Franklin, Mich., a sister of the deceased; Emanuel Fernandes, Joseph Fernandes and Miss Lottie Fernandes, Springfield; Mrs. Fred Boyer and son, Dacatur; Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeFreitas, Palmyra; Mrs. Ed de Souza, Modesto; Samuel DeFreitas, Ceres, and Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Athensville.

Towning
Funeral services for John W. Towning were held from the family residence Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius pastor of Central Christian church. Music was furnished by Miss Lucille Allison and Mrs. H. C. Clemon and Miss Bellis Mary Fausse. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. James Alkire, son. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being, John Nunes, G. V. Skinner, B. Ader, James Samples, Grover Flynn and George Hap- py.

MORTUARY

Moore
Felix D. Moore died at his home in Lynyville Wednesday morning at 1:45 o'clock. Deceased was the son of F. M. and Hulda Moore and was born in LaGrange, Mo., June 4, 1873. When he was a boy his parents moved to Lynyville which has since been his home.

He was united in marriage in September, 1893, to Miss Mary Tuke. He is survived by his widow, his mother and two sisters, Mrs. George Blackburn of Lynyville, and Mrs. Eli Patrick of Winchester.

Mr. Moore was a member of Lynyville Christian church and of Gill Lodge No. 382 A. F. and A. M. of Lynyville. He was a man of good qualities and was highly regarded in the community in which he lived.

Funeral services will be held at Lynyville Christian church Friday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Cronkhite. Burial will be in Kincaid cemetery.

McDonald

Mrs. Catherine McDonald, known to a number of Jacksonville people, died at her home in Peoria Tuesday afternoon as a result of pneumonia. Mrs. McDonald was born in St. Louis Aug. 13, 1836, and was married to Mr. McDonald in Virginia in 1866. Soon afterward the family home was changed to Chandlersville and there Mr. McDonald's death occurred in 1913.

There are three children surviving, Mary E. and William of Versailles. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Minnie of Jacksonville with whom she will make her future home.

The J. E. Jorty Jewelry store was broken into sometime Tuesday night and a number of articles taken among which were several pairs of spectacles, six watches, two sets of silver spoons, a gross of jewels used in repair work and some balance staffs. Private papers were ruined and \$2,50 taken from the cash drawer. The notary public seal was taken and the safety vault was tampered with unsuccessfully. At present there is no clue as to the thief. Entrance was made by removing a glass from the east window.

Mrs. Frank Lyons left Wednesday for Jacksonville where she will enter the hospital for treatment.

Robert Wakely of Jacksonville was a business visitor in town Wednesday.

An entertainment was given to the pupils of the high school Tuesday evening to a large and appreciative audience. Proceeds will be applied to electric light fund.

Elliott State Bank

Statement of Condition at Close of Business February, 16, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans	\$783,980.74
Bonds and Securities	186,352.65
Overdrafts	9,004.77
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	32,500.00
Cash and Exchange	338,038.87
	\$1,349,877.03

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 150,000.00
Undivided Profits	26,199.99
Deposits	

CITY AND COUNTY

Markham was transacting business in the city yesterday.

H. W. Ryan of Springfield traveled to the city yesterday.

G. R. Henry was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

Frank Long of Literberry was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Arthur Swain of Sinclair made a business visit in the city yesterday.

H. H. Lee journeyed from Bloomington to the city yesterday.

Charles Gibbs of Lynnville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

W. W. Schroff of Peoria made a business trip to the city yesterday.

H. A. Goodrick was transacting business in the city yesterday.

R. H. Vanmeter of Quincy spent Wednesday in the city on business.

J. A. Crum was in Literberry on official business yesterday.

A. H. Sebastian of Odin spent Wednesday in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lee of Winchester were numbered among the Wednesday shoppers in the city.

R. M. Jeffries was here from Mattoon yesterday attending to business matters.

Mrs. Charles Baumaister of the east part of the county was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Newton Brown of Murrayville visited his daughter, Miss Ilma, at the Harmon dry goods store yesterday.

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Looking Ahead

Successful men of all ages have been able to look into the future. Have you been looking ahead as to what you will need for the car this spring—engine repairs, tires and tubes, batteries etc? If not, now is the time. We anticipated advances in rubber, batteries, and in fact all accessories. Nearly everything advanced the first of the year and from advices received, everything is ready to advance again.

We looked ahead for ourselves, also for you—and bought in a large supply of tires, tubes, batteries, accessories, and in fact everything you are liable to need this spring. Our prices are right for the quality of goods we handle. If you overlook this place before buying you are making a mistake. A trial of our goods and service will convince you. Always a complete line and always at your service.

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Willard Storage Batteries

We have rental batteries, you don't have to lay up your car while your battery is being charged or repaired.

We give you our GUARANTEE with our well known Pennsylvania tires and tubes. Vacuum Cup casings—6,000 Miles, Ebony Tread casings—5,000 miles. You merchants and delivery men don't know the end of tire trouble until you use these casings. You Ford drivers are overlooking a good buy if you don't try our BLACK UNIVERSAL tube that fits either front or rear wheel. Call and ask to see one.

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Welding of all kinds, brazing, vulcanizing, cars washed and delivered

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TELLS OF EARLY DAYS IN HEBRON COMMUNITY

Grandson of Former Morgan County Resident Writes Interesting Letter About Historic Church.

The following letter was written to Miss H. M. L. Jumper by O. C. G. Phillips of Oskaloosa, Iowa, a grandson of A. G. Phillips, formerly a well known resident of Morgan county.

It was a donation of \$25 made by A. G. Phillips which was the first contributed to the old log church, the first erected at Hebron. Mr. Phillips was prominent in the political and social life of the community and many incidents are related of his persistence and indomitable will, which doubtless contributed much toward his success in life.

Mr. Phillips was also a singing teacher and tradition says he would ask the girls to become members of his classes and they would say, "Oh, I can't sing." Then he would say, "I can teach a bird how to sing!"

The same question asked of the boys received the same answer. "Can you call hogs?" "Yes sir!" "Then you can learn to sing!" The letter:

Dear mother, Semira A. Phillips, was handed me yesterday by my daughter. My mother died February 27, 1912 and I am the last survivor of the family, my father having died July 4, 1895, and my brother O. Q. Phillips died Dec. 27, 1902. There were but two children born to my parents. Relating to the "Hebron Community," the subject of your inquiry, I can only recite traditions familiar to me because of the oft repeated stories and incidents with which my father amused and entertained the family on divers occasions. My grandfather, A. G. Phillips, was born in Harrison county, Kentucky and came to Illinois in 1823 when Mrs. Lindsey, my father and John W. Phillips constituted the family of children, and remained in Illinois until April, 1843, when he removed to Iowa.

During the eleven years that he resided in Morgan county, Illinois, Martha, Rachel, Joan and J. R. Phillips were born, and after coming to Iowa, Sinclair and Hanna Louella Phillips were born, a family of eleven children, not a very large family for that age, but unusual at this time.

John Crater of Beardstown was a traveler to the city on business yesterday.

A. L. Taylor, manager of the Central Union Telephone Co., was a visitor yesterday.

Ernest Stout and William Suhy have gone to Cleveland, Ohio, on business matters.

Edward Allen of the northeast part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dawson of Pisgah were attending to shopping matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Calkoun of Franklin made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

William Pfeil of Waverly was added to the list of city business callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crum of Literberry were among the callers on Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

J. O. Thomas of Galesburg was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

W. T. Geigerich of Quincy was among the transient guests of the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack of Franklin were attending to spring shopping in the city yesterday.

W. H. Moseley and S. T. Zachery helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

C. A. Watson of Milwaukee was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

H. H. Lovekamp of Chandlerville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Norman Carlson of Murrayville was among the business men of the city yesterday.

L. E. Frank of Rockford spent a part of yesterday visiting Jacksonville friends.

Miss Dana Korte of Arenzville was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Curtis Scott of Franklin was among the callers in the city yesterday.

F. W. Parkinson of Peoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Benjamin Fellows of Bloomington was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Miss Carrie Crum of Franklin was among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

F. R. McCullough of Beardstown was attracted to the city by business interests yesterday.

George A. Dunlap of Springfield was a caller on some Jacksonville friends yesterday.

E. H. Jackman of Bloomington was called to the city on business yesterday.

O. L. Lucius of Shelbyville spent Wednesday in the city looking after business matters.

Harry L. Day of Bluffs was attending to business in the city yesterday.

William Nicol of Bloomington was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Joseph A. Bolger of Manchester was trading with local merchants yesterday.

Glen M. Smith and Miss Lucille Smith of Milton were Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mrs. M. M. Crum of the vicinity of Literberry was a shopper with some Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. McGhee of Murrayville visited her son Layton at the Hopper shoe store and her mother, Mrs. W. T. Layton of this city yesterday.

Miss Ella Walker, registered nurse, came home yesterday from Murrayville where she had been caring for Mrs. J. E. Osborne.

Miss Grace Haley of the force at the Woolworth Co. 5 and 10c store went to Beardstown to a party yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. E. J. Merriman and children returned yesterday from a visit with the family of Timothy Murphy of Murrayville and today she expected to leave for Davenport to join her husband and make their home in the city of Iowa.

Floreth Co.**New Spring Silks**

We are now showing New Spring Silks in various stripes, the very newest for Dresses, Shirt Waists—all yard wide, now displayed in our north window and priced at **\$1.50 and \$2.00 yard.**

\$1.50 36-in. Messaline Silks, all colors for \$1.35

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15c 36-in. Percales, extra good quality, light and dark colors, a much better Percale than price asked, are no wchep at yard 15c

Millinery Department Announcement for Spring 1917

Greater efforts than ever will be made this season in style and price. Our trimmers are now in the market studying styles and very soon we will show to the general public everything that is new in Spring Millinery at prices lower than usual.

ALWAYS CASH

Floreth Co.

ALWAYS CASH

Illustrious men and women, who have made the world better got their inspiration in the meetings at Hebron and the "singin' school" of which mention should be made, taught by A. G. Phillips, has often been recalled in our family, and "The Old Missouri Harmony" with its buckwheat notes, was long cher-

ished as a souvenir of the early days of Hebron community. I regret that I could give no more in detail and when I began writing this letter I thought I would just "briefly state" a few incidents but as I proceeded, the memories began to awaken and I have thus foisted on you this "epistle" to the Hebronites.

I feel now that I would enjoy being at that dedication but as I can't may the Great Good God of us all direct you in that place which will in-

sure peace and plenty in this life and joy throughout eternity. I beg to remain,

Your humble servant,

O. C. G. Phillips,

Attorney-at-law,

Oskaloosa, Iowa.

P. S.—The next time I go to Jacksonville I will go out to "Old Hebron."

FAMOUS MOVIE STAR IS KNOWN HERE

Charles Ray, famous as a movie star and who is soon to appear in a picture at the Grand Opera House, lived many years ago in the Literberry neighborhood. Mr. Ray is a cousin of Mrs. J. W. Liter, 1326 West State street. Mr. Ray, who is known to many movie fans, is said to have acquired a fortune in these latter years.

THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

In another column appears the official report of the condition of The Farmers State Bank and Trust company on Feb. 17th, showing assets of over half a million dollars. This youngest of our banking institutions has shown a steady growth in its business since its organization a few years ago. Its banking service includes every branch of the banking and trust business, its facilities and accommodations are ample and it is prepared and ready to render prompt and efficient service to its customers and friends.

GIFT OF ORANGES

Mrs. S. G. Corey, 751 Hardin avenue, has received from her son, William Davidson of Whittaker, Cal., a fine box of oranges and needless to say the gift was greatly appreciated.

Also,
New Arrivals
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Welworth Blouse
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Everywhere as the
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In this city the Welworth is sold here only

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I have been told by my father that Stephan A. Douglas, when a young man, attended camp-meeting at Hebron, and also "Dick" Yates, both big friends of my father. Many

MITCHEL ORDERS PROBE OF FOOD CONDITIONS

Action Follows Resumption of Rioting by Housewives

New York Mayor Instructs That Report be Made to Him Friday—Board of Estimate to Take up Request of \$1,000,000 to Buy Food for Distribution.

New York Feb. 21.—Mayor Mitchel tonight instructed the police, health and charities departments to make a thoro investigation of food conditions thruout the greater city and report to him Friday, when he will place before the board of estimate a request of east side housewives that \$1,000,000 be appropriated by the city to buy food for distribution at reasonable prices.

This action on the part of the mayor followed a resumption of rioting among housewives in various parts of the city and a visit to him of a committee of women who declared their children were starving because of the high cost of foodstuffs. The mayor informed the three municipal departments that he wanted first hand information regarding the situation which was reported to him by the housewives as calling for immediate relief. His instructions to the officials were to obtain all possible data concerning the supply of food actually available, its condition, sources from which drawn, both wholesale and retail market operations, the state of the public health in all congested tenement districts and other factors.

The rioting of housewives today was milder in form than that of yesterday extended to terminal piers of railroads where it had been reported several hundred carloads of vegetables, chiefly potatoes and on-

ions were being withheld from the markets. In the Brownsville section of Brooklyn where a crowd of angry women stormed a market place several policemen were roughly handled and had to call for reserves to rescue them.

"We are not criminals," they shouted when the reserves attempted to disperse them. "We want bread!"

One of the largest hotels in the city announced tonight that it had opened for its employees a store where groceries and other articles of food could be purchased for home consumption in any quantities at actual cost. The department of health began issuing bulletins containing suggestions to aid housewives in meeting the present high price. The first of the bulletins pointed out that a pound of rice costs six cents and contains 1,600 food units whereas a pound of potatoes costs seven cents and contains only 370 food units. Several recipes for the use of rice as a vegetable were given.

Three women were arrested in the Bronx tonight for attacking another woman who had emerged from a grocery store carrying a bag of potatoes. Housewives who had volunteered as pickets were posted in front of grocery and vegetable stores in some of the poorer sections of the city tonight determined to enforce a boycott against potatoes, onions and cabbages until the prices were lowered. No other arrests were made however.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Again the British forces fighting in France have attacked German positions at several points and been rewarded for their efforts according to the latest British official communication. South of Armentieres the German line was penetrated deeply on a front of about 650 yards and southeast of Ypres on a front of about 4,500 yards. Numerous casualties were inflicted on the Germans at both places and prisoners and guns also were taken. The British casualties are said to have been slight. Near Gueudecourt, in the Somme sector the British also seized a section of German trenches and took prisoners. There still is considerable artillery activity by both the Germans and the French in the region of Verdun, but elsewhere along the line held by the French there have been no developments. Berlin reports that an attempt by the French to capture Hill 185 south of Ripont, failed with heavy casualties.

In the Austro-Italian theater bombardments and small enterprises carried out by raiding and reconnoitering parties continue.

A like situation prevails on the eastern front from the Baltic down into Rumania.

An attack by British detachments between the Vardar river and Lake Doiran on the North Macedonian front has served to vary the recent operations on this front. Berlin reports that the attack was repulsed.

Germany's submarine campaign was described to parliament by Sir Edward Carson, the first lord of the British admiralty as grave and serious, but he said measures had been taken by the entente under which it would be mitigated by degrees.

Coincidentally the German minister of the navy in an address before the Reichstag asserted that Germany's expectations had been surpassed and that there was reason to suppose that not a single U-boat had been lost.

WEDNESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Foreign relations committee determined that the Colombian treaty urged by the president could not be ratified this session.

Naval appropriation bill carrying \$530,000,000 formally reported.

Recessed at 8 p. m., to 10:30 a. m., Thursday.

House.

Considered prohibition, pneumatic tube and other senate amendments to the postoffice appropriation bill.

Conference report on District of Columbia appropriation bill presented.

Disagreed to senate amendments to diplomatic appropriation bill and sent it to conference.

Accepted "bone dry" and other amendments to postoffice appropriation bill.

Continued in session during the evening debating army appropriation bill.

Conference report on Indian appropriation bill adopted.

Adjourned at 10 p. m. to 10:30 a. m., Thursday.

SENATE UNANIMOUSLY PASSES LOWDEN BILL

House Refuses to Concur in a Number of Amendments

Backers Hope to Iron Out Differences in Conference Next Week—Both Houses Adjourn Until Next Wednesday.

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Both houses of the legislature adjourned today until next Wednesday and the senate agreed to a week's adjournment from March 1 to March 8 in order that members may attend the inaugural ceremony at Washington. The house is expected to make some similar arrangement.

Final passage of the Lowden consolidation bill on next Wednesday after a meeting of house and senate conferees on Tuesday night was the program determined upon tonight after the house had refused to concur in amendments to the bill tacked on by the senate before it passed the measure today.

Would Legalize Boxing.

A bill to legalize boxing contests was introduced in the senate by Senator Denvin today. The measure proposes that boxing or sparring matches not exceeding ten rounds, in which the contestants wear at least six ounce gloves, shall not be considered a violation of the criminal law.

The bill would permit any university, school, social or athletic club, organized under a charter by the state, to conduct private or public matches and to charge admission, upon securing a permit from the mayor of the city in which the contest is to be held.

A fee of ten dollars would be paid by the organization upon application and \$100 on the granting of the permit, counties of the first and second class and in cities and towns other than Chicago. In Chicago, the fee would be \$300.

The bill provides a fine of \$500 for matches held contrary to the provisions of the law.

Introduces Substitute Bill.

A substitute for the private bank bill he introduced in the house early in the legislative session was introduced today by Representative Wm. G. Thom of Chicago.

The new bill proposes the minimum capital stock for banks under state control in towns under 500 inhabitants shall be \$10,000; towns over 500 and under 1,500 population, \$15,000; in towns from 1,500 to 5,000, \$25,000; in cities between 5,000 and 50,000 population \$50,000 and in cities up to 100,000 and over \$100,000.

As originally introduced the bill proposed a minimum capital of \$25,000.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN CREATES SENSATION

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—James M. Randall, a veteran of the Civil War created a sensation in federal Judge Landis' court today when he wildly slashed about with a knife screaming that he had "lost all his money."

Testimony was being taken in a bank case wherein depositors were said to have been defrauded of their money and it was supposed at first that Randall was one of the alleged victims. He was taken to the Psychopathic Hospital. It was learned that the aged man came from Belvidere, Ill., where he enlisted for the Civil War in the Seventh Illinois Cavalry. Several months ago he was discharged from the Quincy Veterans' Home for being absent without leave.

VERDICT FAVORS CAFE OWNERS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 21.—A jury in the circuit court here today returned a verdict in favor of the defendants in the case of Sheriff Wheeler against a number of cafe owners. The case was said to have been the first in the state filed under the Kate Adams vice abatement law. The sheriff said he would carry the case to the appellate court.

RECEIVES LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF GOLD

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Gold to the amount of \$28,500,000 arriving by way of Canada and consigned to J. P. Morgan and Company was deposited today at the assay office here. This makes a total of \$66,000,000 received, within a week and \$130,000,000 thus far this year.

WOMEN'S CLUBS BEHIND GOVERNMENT

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 21.—Word that the general federation of women's clubs stands loyalty behind the government, was telegraphed to President Wilson today by Mrs. Josiah Evans Coyle, president of the federation.

WESLEYAN VICTORS

Bloomington, Feb. 21.—Illinois Wesleyan won from Illinois Normal tonight 27 to 7. Illinois Normal handicapped by the loss of several regulars thru illness was outclassed throughout and Wesleyan won pulled up.

TO OBSERVE 98TH BIRTHDAY

Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 21.—John R. Willard of Burlington has a double reason to celebrate the holiday tomorrow as on that day he will be 98 years old. He was born at Worcester, Mass., in 1819.

CLOSE PART OF PLYMOUTH

London, Feb. 21.—It is officially announced that the Port of Plymouth has been closed until further notice to all ships except those of the allies.

Plymouth is one of Great Britain's most important naval bases.

FIRE FORCES LINER MONTEREY BACK

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The Ward Line Steamer Monterey which sailed tonight for Havana was forced to turn back because of a fire which was discovered in her after hold when she was 14 miles beyond Scotland Lightship. A wireless message sent from the lightship on her return said the crew seemed to have the flames under control.

The Monterey, a vessel of 4,702 tons gross passed Sandy Hook on her way out at 7:05 P. M. She carried passengers, mails and a cargo, having cleared for Havana and Mexican ports.

The message announcing her return gave no details as to the origin of the fire.

REPORT SALAZAR AT BOCA GRANDE

COLUMBUS, N. M., Feb. 21.—The Villa Leader Salazar was last reported with 300 followers at Boca Grande, 32 miles southwest of Columbus according to information received late today by R. P. Ticoni, the Carranza consul here. He added that General Jose Murguia is at Casas Grandes working northward and that Colonel Chupa will leave Palomas tonight to make a junction with him. United States troops in expectation of fighting near there are rushing to the border along the angle of the Jogi. Boca Grande is about 12 miles from the line. Aeroplanes were prepared tonight for scouting expedition in that vicinity.

NO WORD OF FIGHTING REACHES HAVANA

HAVANA, Feb. 21.—For the third successive day no word of fighting has reached the capital and the belief is growing that both sides are gathering their forces for a supreme effort at Camaguey.

It is reliably stated that President Menocal is preparing a proclamation granting amnesty to those members of the military who have been forced to take up arms against the government by their superiors.

LOWDEN SPEAKS IN CHICAGO TODAY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 21.—Governor Frank O. Lowden left the state capital this evening for Chicago where he will make an address tomorrow afternoon at the laying of the cornerstone for the new armory for the First Illinois Cavalry. He will speak at a banquet of the Union League Club tomorrow night. He will also speak before a luncheon of the publishers of foreign language newspapers in Chicago Friday.

BUYS POWER COMPANY

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 21.—The Illinois Traction System, known as the McKinley lines, today took over the North Missouri Power company of New London, Mo. A charter was granted the Missouri concern two years ago to furnish power and light from the Mississippi River company at Keokuk, Iowa, to cities in Pike and Ralls counties, Missouri.

W. J. Acheloh of Peoria has been elected president of the new company.

TO ASK FOR \$8,000,000 FOR U. OF ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Trustees of the University of Illinois met here today and decided to ask the legislature for an appropriation of \$8,000,000 for new buildings and improvements at the institution.

WARN FOREIGN PASSENGERS

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 21.—Villa partisans here today warned all foreign passengers against riding on the Mexican Central passenger trains between Juarez and Chihuahua City after today. They said a Villa force was near Villa Ahumada 83 miles south of Juarez.

STEVENSON ELECTED

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 21.—W. F. Stevenson of Chesterfield, Democrat, was elected to Congress today from the fifth South Carolina district, according to unofficial returns.

MILLIKIN LOSSES TO NORMAL

Charleston, Ill., Feb. 21.—After winning nine straight games Millikin University basketball team from Decatur lost its final match before the tournament to Eastern Illinois Normal tonight 26 to 22.

It was a tie score when time was called and a five minute overtime period was played.

DEFEAT SUFRAGE BILL

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 21.—The Vermont house of representatives today defeated a bill to extend to women the right to vote for presidential electors.

To Make Money Is To Save Money

We were fortunate in buying heavily in all staple lines during the past year, and every department in our store is crowded to capacity. Most of these goods were bought at the old prices, so for only a few items we have been compelled to advance. It will pay you to lay in your future wants now as further advances are sure to come—Spring Suits, Hats, Caps, and Shirts are arriving daily.

A slight advance has been made in

Holeproof Hosiery and Gloves

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner in Road District No. 8, Election April 3rd.

Clifton Corrington.

I hereby announce myself candidate for Road Commissioner District No. 8 for a full term.

Henry Ruble.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner, for District No. 8. Lloyd Magill.

FRANKLIN

The Unity Bible class of Franklin M. E. church will be entertained this evening by members of the class who have birthdays in January, February or March. A very pleasant time is anticipated.

Mrs. A. L. Lukeman entertained Tuesday afternoon the country club of which she is a member at her home north of Franklin. Mrs. S. L. Gottschall and Mrs. Frank Ryan were present as guests, as was Mrs. Joseph Zellar of Alexander. In a pencil contest Mrs. Henry Lukeman was the winner. Mrs. F. G. Turley was winner in another contest. A two-course luncheon was served.

Mrs. F. F. Patterson has returned from a visit of several days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rentschler of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Turley were given an agreeable surprise Monday evening at the hands of the H. H. Card club. Mr. and Mrs. Turley had been in Bloomington and arriving home about 8 o'clock found the company in full possession. Euchre furnished diversion. Prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Watts, Ralph Turley, Henry Lukeman and Mrs. Frank Harmon.

STILL PRICES SOAR.

Yesterday thirteen dollars a hundred was reached for hogs and no one knows where the end will be. J. E. Osborne of Murrayville shipped a load of eighty hogs and received \$2,450 for them.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, rheumatism, travel cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by druggist, send by mail to manufacturer. One small bottle will last months. Treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 220 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv.

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25 CENTS
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PROMINENT WOODSON YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED

Miss Sarah Irlam Becomes Bride of Thomas Butler—Ceremony at Irlam Home—The Matrimonial Record.

Thomas Butler and Miss Sarah Frances Irlam were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the beautiful country home of the bride's father, Thomas Irlam, one and a half miles south of Woodson. About sixty guests were present.

Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Charles E. Irlam with Miss Mable McCurley as accompanist, sang most acceptably, "I Love You Truly," and "O Promise Me."

Promptly at 7 o'clock to the strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin played by Miss Mable McCurley the couple entered the parlor. They were preceded by Little Miss Elizabeth Russel and Pauline Belle who served as ribbon bearers.

The couple stood under a canopy of smilax and white carnations where ceremony was said by the Rev. J. Lathom, pastor of Woodson Presbyterian church, assisted by Dr. G. W. Miller. The impressive and beautiful ring ceremony was used.

Following the ceremony the newly married couple received the hearty congratulations of the assembled company. During the congratulations Miss Mable McCurley gave in a capable manner Mendelsohn's wedding march and Hearts and Flowers.

The bride wore a charming gown of white taffeta silk with chiffon and pearl trimmings and carried bride's roses.

An elaborate three course supper was served. This was in charge of the Misses Bird Blimling, Mable McCurley, Ethel Shirley, Martha Irlam, Mae Jade and Stella McCurley.

The Irlam home was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The color scheme in the parlor was green and white while in the dining room pink and white were used.

Both bride and groom are popular in the community. The bride is the youngest daughter of Thomas Irlam and comes from one of the best known families in the county. She is a young woman of charming manner and lovable disposition and is highly regarded by a large circle of friends.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Butler of Woodson.

He is a young man of sterling worth and good habits and is well worthy of the bride he has won.

The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts of silver and cut glass which served to show the esteem in which they are held. They will reside on a farm five miles south of Jacksonville.

In the cutting of the bride's cake, Miss Mable McCurley got the ring, Miss Bird Blimling the darning needle, Mrs. Amos McCurley the thimble, Hancy Blimling the key, Jane Irlam the penny and Lloyd Darwent the dime. Miss Jane Irlam gave an excellent musical program during the evening.

Martin-Wilkerson.

Charles Martin and Miss Lula Wilkerson, both of Alexander, were married Wednesday by Judge William E. Thomson at the court house.

The groom is a farm hand and is employed in the Alexander neighborhood.

Jones-Roller.

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Mr. and Mrs. Felix Turley were given an agreeable surprise Monday evening at the hands of the H. H. Card club. Mr. and Mrs. Turley had been in Bloomington and arriving home about 8 o'clock found the company in full possession. Euchre furnished diversion. Prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Watts, Ralph Turley, Henry Lukeman and Mrs. Frank Harmon.

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SCIENCE CLUB MEETS

The Epsilon Sigma club held a regular meeting Wednesday evening at the home of John K. Fury, 924 West Lafayette avenue and the following program was given.

"The Future Development of Electricity"—Elzie Bevin.

"Practical Metallurgy"—John K. Fury.

"High Frequency Effects"—Joel Crouch.

Reading—John Martin.

Dawson Darley was admitted to membership.

FATHER OF MRS. COWDIN DIES IN SPRINGFIELD

Mrs. Charles Cowdin, northwest of the city, has gone to Springfield to attend the funeral of Douglas Barlow, the father of her daughter-in-law, the wife of Dr. F. P. Cowdin.

Death came to Mr. Barlow Tuesday noon at the age of 71 and was caused by cancer of the throat.

Burial will be made in St. Louis.

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVANCE IN SCHOOLS

All Grade Pupils Will Honor Memory of Nation's Founder—Some Special Programs Arranged.

Washington's birthday will be generally observed in the schools of the city and the not all the grades will have programs the pupils will be reminded of the many events of his historical importance which this patriotic observance commemorates. The high school had a patriotic program Wednesday and at the David Prince school, this forenoon the time.

At Jefferson school patriotic songs will be sung, informal programs will be given in the several rooms and the memory of Washington will be brought to mind in many ways. At Lafayette school there will be a patriotic address by the Rev. M. L. Fontius, pastor of Central Christian church, at the hour of morning exercises. At Washington school, the Rev. E. B. Landis, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church will speak and at Franklin school the Washington observance will be conducted by the teachers in their respective rooms.

At the high school Wednesday morning the address was made by H. H. Bancroft, who took for his subject the great services of Washington during the critical period before the formulation and adoption of the constitution. Uriel Gouveia sang a solo, to accompaniment of Miss Antoinette Gouveia.

The David Prince school exercises will take place this morning at 8:45 o'clock and will include an address by Mrs. Carl E. Black, regent of the D. A. R., songs by the pupils and music by the David Prince school orchestra. At this time Mrs. Black will present the picture given by the Rev. James Caldwell chapter and won by the seventh grade for selling the most Red Cross seals. The five winners in each of the seventh grade sections will have a place upon the platform.

Kappa Gamma Program.

The regular meeting of Kappa Gamma society of the high school Tuesday afternoon proved very successful from the standpoint of Washington birthday observance. "America" and "Star Spangled Banner" were sung by the society to accompany the accompaniment of Miss Ellen McCurley. Carol Hall gave an oration, Margaret Hamilton a poem, Elizabeth Cogswell music, and Marian DePew a reading. Bonnie Woods gave an extempore speech. The subject for debate was "Resolved, That Washington did not cut down the cherry tree." Carmen Dugger and Margaret Irving supported the affirmative and Hollis Riman and Mary Louise Newman, the negative. A special feature of the meeting was the roll call, wherein each member of the society responded with an original verse pertaining to a state. These were as follows:

Investigators of the commission have been sent to virtually every railroad yard of any size in the east and middle west and are reporting daily by telegraph the movement of cars. Several instances of unprecedented congestion are understood to have been relieved by the investigators in co-operation with the railroads.

Chicago's claim that the railroads are failing to exert themselves to relieve the situation was met by the railway association tonight with a declaration that the grain interests of the city had taken no interest in a conference of the grain interests here and that all Chicagoans had been invited.

PASSED CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 21—in an examination before the state civil service commission today Robert B. Prather, secretary of the state utilities commission, passed first and George E. Doying of Jacksonville, second, in examination for assistant secretary of the state public utilities commission. There are two of these positions and one of them is now held by Mr. Doying. At present there are no vacancies. The positions pay salaries from \$200 to \$300 a month in accordance with the time of service.

ATTENTION I.O.O.F. NO. 243

Annual roll call tonight at 7:30.

Special Program, Refreshments.

Every member Urana Lodge invited to be present.

By Order of Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jacobs were in Springfield Tuesday where they attended the wedding of Miss Minnie Meyer, a cousin of Mrs. Jacobs, to Henry Jacobs of Springfield.

At the Illinois Woman's college the Washington day observance was carried out in a manner beautiful as it was novel. At the Monday dinner hour the students each appeared in costume and the tables were graced with the national colors together with red candles and saffron.

After dinner all joined in a grand march thru the corridors and later went to the social room where a program was carried out as follows:

Piano solo—Miss Mabel Weiss.

Trio selection—Misses Jessie Wall, Gladys Stobie and Helen Homer.

Vocal solo—Miss Hilma Franz.

Quartet number—Misses Eunice Leonard, Jessie Wall and Pauline Cox.

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Trio selection—Misses Jessie Wall, Pauline Cox and Gladys Strobie.

Duet—Misses Grace and Veronika Davis.

Song, "Comin' Thru the Rye."

Misses Margaret Springer and Pauline Kennedy.

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ROADS MOVE TO MEET EMERGENCY NEEDS

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coke came with unexpected force and surprise at a time when the situation was apparently clearing in other quarters. The threatened food shortage in New England and the larger eastern cities was believed safely past the crisis and the roads were concentrating their efforts towards stripping congested yards of empties, despatching them west and otherwise reducing the congestion in the east.

As announced by the railway association the following towns face possible interruption of service of their producing plants: Chicago, Oak Park, Ill., Blue Island, Ill., Evanston, Ill., Kankakee, Ill., Detroit, Indianapolis, Bloomington, Ill., Burlington, Ill., Cadillac, Mich., Coldwater, Mich., Rockford, Ill., Springfield, Ill., Toledo, and Waukesha, Wis.

Coal and coke, from which these cities obtain gas, are shipped from Youghiogheny field in Pennsylvania, the Fairmont, Kanawha, Pocah



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SOCIALIST WORKER ADDRESSED STUDENTS

Address Cut Short at Illinois College Morning Chapel Hour Resumed in Afternoon.

John Minter Writes From Colorado
Where He Was Long a Citizen.

The Journal is in receipt of the following letter written by John Minter now making a business visit in Colorado.

Springfield, Colorado, Feb. 18, '17.
Editor Journal:

From Trinidad I went on the Santa Fe railroad to La Junta, an end of one of the divisions between Kansas City and Denver. La Junta is now about thirty years old and has made very fair progress for a railroad town. Altho considerable farming is carried on now where a short time ago there was nothing but cattle range, that is, between Trinidad and La Junta. From La Junta east the Arkansas river valley is very productive, yielding fine crops of sugar beets, alfalfa and fruit, while land is almost as high as in our Morgan county.

Lamar booming.

At Lamar I found everything booming, buildings going up, substantial homes being erected, business houses, churches and schoolhouses. The adjacent territory is thickly settled, more so than ever before. Lamar does a large business as far south as the Texas border and New Mexico. The reason of this is the fact that there is no railroad between the Colorado Southern and the Santa Fe, a hundred miles apart and both running east and west or northwest and southeast, which causes a large wholesale trade at Lamar.

The mail to Springfield is carried by automobiles as well as passengers, express goods and baggage. It is a common thing to see two big trunks strapped on the running board of a car with five or six passengers and mail piled up so as almost cover the people. The driver drives merrily along the way to about forty places sometimes without even stopping or slackening up. The fifty mile trip is made from 9 to 11:30 a.m., and sometimes in two hours and at 1:30 the return trip is begun with the same kind of a load as described above.

Some County History.

Springfield is the distributing office for the entire county of 12,000 people. Later I will give the names of the post offices and more data regarding the nationality of the people, progress, crops, schools, churches, etc. Springfield has gained since my last visit 16 months ago 25 good substantial buildings, including residences, bank building, hardware store, several stores rebuilt, all carrying large stocks, worthy of a place three times as large. A new courthouse built wholly of concrete with stucco finish is an ornament and has commodious office rooms for all officials, court room, etc. All the officers are young looking men, mostly born in the county, sober, upright and courteous. The past and present treasurer are both ladies of the best class, pleasant and obliging and I might add, as good looking as they are intelligent, both born and reared in Baca county, the county in which I was the first county commissioner, appointed by the governor and re-elected by the people, 28 and 30 years ago and I am proud of my connection with this little commonwealth.

Roy C. Denney, proprietor of one of the largest garages, says there are 300 automobiles in the county, mostly Fords. He sells an average of 75 barrels of gasoline a month, 19 to 21 cars in his garage every night, mostly transient, employs from four to six machinists and does a business of \$9,500 to \$10,000 a month. There is also another garage here that does a large business.

MISSION STUDY CIRCLE OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The Mission Study circle of Congregational church met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Marion Fairbank and studied the life of the Rev. William Carter, the first pastor of the church in this city. The discussion was led by W. D. Wood. The Rev. Mr. Carter came to Jacksonville in 1833 and was present at the founding of the church. He was called as pastor the following year and held the position until 1838. He then moved to Pittsfield where he was pastor and served the church for more than thirty years. At the meeting Tuesday evening there were present five grand nephews and one grand niece of the former pastor. Miss Fairbank is the grand niece.

REMEMBER THE SPRING HAT SALE FROM 1 TO 4 O'CLOCK TODAY, 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT, AT HERMAN'S.

HAS BROTHERS IN ARMY.
Walter Russell, formerly of this county and now of Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, is a visitor with his friend, Jack Robinson, southeast of the city. The young man has two brothers with the English army in the trenches and expects soon to leave for home and may himself join in the ranks of the patriotic defenders of England.

H. H. Hansmeier of Concord was a business caller in the city yesterday.

DR. HARKER HAS PLAN FOR MEASURING WELL FLOW

Points to Comparatively Simple Way of Measuring Capacity at North Side Station

Dr. Joseph R. Harker, who visited the Wideman-Daub wells the other day along with other members of the joint committee, declares that it will be a comparatively easy task to find out with accuracy what the wells there are producing. The generally accepted belief has been that it would be necessary to install two or more meters if certain information was to be secured as to the volume of water.

When Dr. Harker saw that water is being pumped into a cistern and then into the mains he pointed out that it would be possible by finding out the volume of water in a foot or depth to estimate with accuracy the flow in twenty-four hours. This can be done, he shows, even tho it is true that pumping is done directly into the mains a part of the time instead of into a cistern. The method of securing the capacity of a cistern is to multiply the square of the diameter by .7854. This will give the total area and to secure the area of one foot this total must be divided by the total depth. There are seven and one half gallons of water in a cubic foot and thus by multiplication the number of gallons in one foot of the area of the cistern at the north side station can be obtained. By observing how long it takes to increase the height of the volume of water in the cistern one foot can be easily shown what the wells are producing in twenty-four hours.

In answer to the suggestion that the flow of the wells might show some variation according to difference in hours of pumping, Dr. Harker says that if desirable that the time required for pumping one foot of the area of the cistern is to be observed at different hours of the day and the common result taken.

The question as to just how much water is coming from the wells has been a mooted one for years. Shortly after the wells were put down an effort was made to learn this volume by having the water pass thru a weir which is nothing more or less than a heavy board with a notch cut in it. By figuring the size of the notch and the amount of water which passed thru in a minute's time, an estimate was made as to the total volume. There was a good deal of guess work about this weir measurement and the meters were never installed because of the large expense which their purchase would entail.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn of Almond were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Marie Corrington has completed a visit of several days in the city and returned to her home near Arnold.

H. H. Vasconcellos, county school superintendent, spent the day Wednesday visiting schools in the south part of the county.

J. T. Kershaw of Concord was a visitor in the city yesterday.

George H. McLean of Woodson was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss Verma Heiman of Arenzville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Crum and Miss Whima Crum were in the city yesterday from Literberry.

Mrs. Henry Meier of Bluff was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Tice Crum and daughter Mrs. Mae Litter, were in the city Wednesday from Literberry.

C. S. Thornley of Arenzville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

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AL. G. FIELD'S PREPAREDNESS SPECTACLE. A rousing military spectacle presented during the program of the Al. G. Field Greater Minstrels this season suggests "Peace Thru Preparedness," and the Dean of Minstrelsy achieves this with a blend of good humor and seriousness that elicits a fair-minded attitude from all.

Early America is represented in a tableau by a group of soldiers of the period of 1776. Then appears in the foreground foreign soldiers quarreling among themselves, disturbing the public peace, and finally reaching chaos. While the contest is still going on, Uncle Sam, accompanied by the Goddess of Liberty, appears on the horizon. Back of them are assembled soldiers and officials representing all branches of the United States service. Suddenly the band bursts forth with the national airs of America!

At this the foreigners are immediately calmed, as they observe the resources of Uncle Sam and his devotion to the Goddess of Liberty. Instantly the scene is lighted by myriads of red, white and blue lights, and a hundred American flags are unfurled, when patriotic songs by the immense chorus epitomize the heart and spirit of America.

The Al. G. Field Great Minstrels will be at the Grand Tuesday, Feb. 27th.

WILL NOT RAISE PAY FOR CITY EMPLOYEES.

The Springfield city commission has declined the petition of members of the fire department and police force for an increase in salary of \$10 per month. The petition was based on the argument that present high living costs make such increases necessary. The commission acknowledges that the increases are instituted but declares that Springfield has not the funds to meet the added expense of \$20,000 which would thus result.

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W. L. ALEXANDER PLANS FOR FLAT BUILDING

Is Soon to Receive Bids For Modern Structure on Former Site of Greenleaf Home—Will Again Become Jacksonville Residents

W. L. Alexander is here from Chicago for a brief business visit and is planning again to become a resident of this city. Mr. Alexander has plans and specifications drawn for the erection of a flat building on his West State street property, the former site of the Greenleaf residence, which was destroyed by fire several years since. Whether or not Mr. Alexander proceeds with this work depends upon the bid that he can secure. The plans and specifications are in the hands of several Jacksonville contractors and they are now figuring on the job.

Building Wholly Modern

The plans call for a thoroughly modern building of the same type as those most recently erected in Chicago. The building will be of brick trimmed with stone, with basement and three stories above. The basement will be what is known as English style and will be level with the ground. In other words, the foundation will be only a foot or two below the surface. The main entrance to the building will lead to a tiled vestibule in this basement, from which a door will lead to the main hallway. The basement is divided into a dining or party room, a billiard hall, boiler and laundry rooms. All of these rooms are intended for the joint use of the occupants of the flats. From the main hall a door leads to the vestibule of the first flat, which includes six rooms in addition to a sleeping porch at the south and a sun parlor at the north. At the front is the living room which extends the entire width of the building and is 26 1/2 feet by 16 feet in inside measurements.

Convenient Arrangement

Back of this is a dining room and still further to the south a kitchen. A maid's room, together with two bedrooms to the south of the west side of the house and there are two bedrooms to the south of the kitchen and bathrooms. The sleeping porch at the south is of generous dimensions. The sun parlor at the north side of the house is very spacious with glass so arranged that it can be removed during the summer months. In the kitchen, the pantry and other accessories are arranged with the first thought of convenience and the same is true of the other rooms in the flat.

Special thought has been given to the lighting and each room and hallway is lighted by spacious windows.

The flats of the second and third stories are exact duplicates of the first floor. It is Mr. Alexander's expectation that he and his family will occupy one of the flats and the other two will be available for rental purposes.

Second Building in Prospect

If the building fills the demand which he believes exists here another one will be erected later on the west side of the lot. An examination of the plans convinces one at a glance that the architect has outlined a building which will be a very desirable improvement for Jacksonville, and based on Chicago experience as to the expenses of the building, it is entirely probable that Mr. Alexander will carry to successful conclusion the building plan that his architect has formulated.

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STATE AUTHORITIES WILL COME TODAY

Dr. Bartow and Associates Will Consider Possible Source of Water Supply.

A telegram was received yesterday by City Clerk R. L. Pyatt stating that Dr. Edward Bartow of the state water survey will come to Jacksonville this morning. He will be accompanied by Dr. DeWolf of the state geological survey and the chief engineer for the state board of health, who is to act in the place of Dr. E. St. Clair Drake. Just what train these visitors are coming on is not known but it is expected that all three will arrive on the 10:05 train on the Wahab.

The joint committee, consisting of the city council and five citizens, plans to meet them and take them on an inspection trip to Morgan lake, the pumping station, the north side wells and some other territory adjacent to Jacksonville. Following this inspection trip the water supply question will be discussed at length and an effort will be made to furnish the visitors with all available data which may be of any value to them in the consideration of the whole project.

C. & A. TELEGRAPHERS SEEK MORE PAY

According to a statement in the Bloomington Pantagraph, railway telegraphers of the Chicago & Alton are seeking for a new scale of wages. The last schedule of the telegraphers went into effect Jan. 1, 1916, and the effort now is to prove to Alton officials that the salaries paid are less than those on competitive roads. Officers of the C. & A. division of railroad telegraphers have been in conference with Gen. Mgr. Titus on this subject and it is the expectation that the question at issue can be amicably settled.

SUCCESSFUL TRIP.

Miss Ella Minter has returned after a three weeks' visit to the show rooms of the big New York makers of coats, suits, dresses and hats, and is very enthusiastic over the purchases she made for her department at F. J. Waddell & Company's store. Miss Minter says the spring styles are prettier than ever and that she bought liberally with orders to rush the newest models thru at once by express.

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Showing During the Week in East Windows

**MYERS
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MURRAYVILLE PUPILS GAVE PLAY WEDNESDAY

Drama of Colonial Days Well Presented at Carlson's Hall.

"The Spy," a drama dealing with colonial times was the title of a play presented in Carlson's hall, Murrayville, Wednesday evening by the junior class of the Murrayville high school.

The play was produced by the class for the purpose of raising a fund to be used by the juniors in entertaining the seniors at commencement time. There was a large audience present and the players efforts met with frequent and hearty applause.

The play is builded along the same lines as Nathan Hale and other plays dealing with the early days of the republic. The scenes are laid during the revolutionary war and the spy is a young girl who is thought to be demented. Two pretty love stories run thruout the action of the play and in the end they get married and live happily ever after, which is the way all plays and stories should end.

The part of the Spy was taken by Miss Floreca Short. Miss Short carried the burden of the role with rare judgment. Leo Connolly as Col. Livingston, an English officer also did excellent work. The other members performed their roles in a capable manner and the result was a well balanced performance. Much of the success of the play was due to the efforts of Miss Besse Hart, who directed the work of the cast.

Col. Livingston—Leo Connolly.
Major Abbott—Amelia Lamb.
Orderly—Cecil Cady.
Col. Haywood—Uncle Peter—Robert Osborne.

Mrs. Haywood—Harriet Cox.
Susan Haywood, her daughter—
Mary Clark.

Dick Haywood—Thomas Koyne.
Nancy Haywood, the Spy—Florece Short.

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**L. D. CROUSE HAD SALE
AT MURRAYVILLE FARM**

Excellent Prices Were Secured on Implements and Livestock.

L. G. Crouse held a sale at his farm two and one half miles north of Murrayville Wednesday. Jed G. Cox was the auctioneer and Warren W. Wright of Murrayville was the clerk. The sale was well attended and good prices prevailed, the total receipts amounting to about \$2,500. The Ladies Aid of Murrayville M. E. church served lunch. Mr. Crouse has rented a residence in Murrayville and will retire from active farming. Some of the prices and buyers are given.

Horses and Mules: John Pate bought a team of 4 year old mares for \$317.50. James Myers one mare at \$110. Robert Arnold one horse at \$120. Charles McCracken horse at \$150. Other horses sold, from \$55 to \$102. Warren Coulter bought a span of mules for \$370 and another span for which he paid \$320.

Cows: George Crouse, cow at \$80. Alex Sutter, cow at \$80. Edward Landreth one cow at \$85. Thomas Myers bought three cows at \$73, \$89 and \$60. John Murray one at \$75. Albert Weder one at \$67.50. James Brown one at \$80. Harry Elliott cow at \$61 and two calves at \$20.25 each.

Pigs: Alex Sutter bought three sows at \$20 apiece. Six pigs went to M. L. Robinson at \$7.70 apiece.

Corn sold for 99 cents per bushel. Timothy hay brought from 46 to 58 cents per bale and clover hay from 70 to 77 cents per bale. All farm implements brought good prices.

**JOIN HANDS FOR
NATIONAL DEFENSE**

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21—As an outgrowth of conferences held recently between many of the country's patriotic and defense societies steps were taken here today to perfect the organization of a national committee of such societies, with headquarters in this city. The national committee is designed to serve as a channel thru which the various participating societies can keep in close touch with the National Council of Defense. In addition, it is proposed to establish a bureau of information here for the purpose of supplying the societies with information relating to the nation's defenses.

Among the organizations co-operating in the movement are the Sons of the Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, Loyal Legion, American Defense Society, National Association for Universal Military Training, Navy League of the United States, Army League of the United States, National Security League and the Aeronautical Society of America.

THE ARNOLD SALE

J. W. Arnold's annual sale occurs under big tent Friday, Feb. 23. Offerings include 80 head of mules, 40 horses, 1 percheron stallion, 3 thoroughbred bulls; also cows, hogs and other livestock.

John Eck of Alexander was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Get at The Source of Your "Skin Diseases"

Don't be misled by this term, for the appearance of pimples, boils or rashes indicate something more serious than a mere "breaking out" of the skin. These eruptions are, in reality, signals from nature that the blood is impoverished, debilitated and in need of help. Of course you can sometimes drive away the infected places by applying a salve or lotion, but unless you treat them through the medium of the blood, they will occur again and again. S. S. has proven its wonderful

building and tonic properties in thousands of cases arising from disorders of the blood. It washes the poisons from the system and aids the blood in its work of cleansing and invigorating the body organs, throwing off waste matter, and keeping the body in a normal, healthy condition.

Prove these facts for yourself by taking a bottle of S. S. S. and write to our Medical Department for information about your case. Swift Specific Co., 304 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

AUTO NOTES

The roads for the purposes of automobiles were better than many supposed yesterday.

John Bermeister of the region of Shiloh drove to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Aldo Hierman and sister, Misses Alma Hacker and Dena Korte, came over to the city yesterday from Azenville in Mr. Hierman's car and were guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Jordan on Jordan street.

George Holley of the vicinity of Arnold came to town yesterday, bringing his aged father, making the trip in his Mitchell car.

H. H. Richardson of the west part of the county came to the city yesterday in his Buick coupe.

Earl Sorrells of Woodson, drove up to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

James Mahon of Sinclair precinct came down to the city yesterday in his McFarlane 6 car.

Prince Coates and family came up to the city from west of Lynnhurst yesterday in their Mitchell car.

Howard Zahn and R. T. Cassell attended an automobile show in St. Louis this week.

Howard Zahn expects to start to-morrow morning for Flint, Michigan, to bring back ten Buick cars by wagon road as he succeeded so well before. He expects to be accompanied by George Barnum, Wm. Doobey, Wm. Zahn, David Giger, Henry Naylor, Clarence Wolke, Guy Hutson, Thomas Drake and Boddie Silcox.

NOTICE OF BIDS

Bids will be received by the directors of Unique school district No. 105 (East of Meredosia) in Morgan county, Ill., for the erection of a new school house. Plans and specifications for the same may be seen at the Meredosia State Bank. Bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, March 3rd, 1917. The directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Board of Directors.

A. H. Hinners, Clerk.

Edward Hamman, Pres.

Arthur Swain of Sinclair drove down to the city yesterday in his Hudson car.

OLD JACKSONVILLE

"When War Winged It's Wide Desolation."

By Ensley Moore

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Since the danger of war has come to the public mind, many persons have suggested the teaching of patriotic American hymns and songs.

Probably few persons know even the first lines of the songs in which our people rejoiced in "the days which tried men's souls." How many native Americans, much less foreign-born citizens know the first words of "Yankee Doodle"? It and "Hail Columbia" were about the only patriotic versifications and popular melodies of the Revolutionary days. Father and I went down to Camp, Along with Cap-tain Good-win.

And there we saw the men and boys

Chorus:

Den I wish I was in Dixie,
Hooray! Hooray!
In Dixie land I'll take my stand,
To live and die in Dixie;

Away, away, away down south in Dixie."

But, before the Civil war, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean" had been written, and the north sang it enthusiastically.

"Oh Columbia, the gem of the ocean,
The home of the brave and the free,
The shrine of each patriot's devotion,
A world offers homage to thee.

They mandates make heroes assemble
When Liberty's form stands in view,
Thy banner makes tyranny tremble,
When borne by the red, white and blue;

When borne by the red, white and blue,

When borne by the red, white and blue,

They banners make tyranny tremble,

When borne by the red, white and blue."

Chorus:

Yankee Doodle, keep it up,

Yankee Doodle dandy;

In the spirit of your fathers

Fight the battle bravely."

This was one of the first American war songs.

Well along in the war for Independence came Francis Hopkinson's words, beginning:

"Hail, Columbia! happy land,

Hail, ye-roes! heavy-born band,

Who fought and bled in freedom's cause,

And when the storm of war was gone,

Enjoyed the peace your val'r won,

Let Independence be our boast,

Ever mindful what it cost,

Ever grateful for the prize;

Let it's al-tar reach the skies.

Refrain:

Firm, united let us be,

Rallying round our lib-erty;

As a band of brothers joined,

Peace and safety we shall find."

The War of 1812, gave us "The Star-Spangled Banner," which Francis Scott Key wrote while the roar of the guns defending Ft. McHenry Baltimore, was in his ears. This song was great in demand at the outbreak of the Rebellion and again at the time of the Spanish war. It began:

"Oh! say, can you see by the dawn's early light,

What so proudly we hailed at the twi-light's last gleaming?

Whose broad stripes and bright stars,

O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?

And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,

Gave proof thru the night that our flag was still there.

Chorus:

Oh! say, does that star-spangled banner still wave

Over the land of the free and the home of the brave?"

Along a little later, Chas. F. Smith gave us the grand hymn "America."

My country, 'tis of thee,

Sweet land of liberty,

Of thee I sing.

Land where my fathers died,

Land of the pilgrim's pride,

From ev'ry mountain side,

Let freedom ring."

Repeat last two lines

At the beginning of the Civil War "Dixie" was largely sung, north as well as south. But, as the war went on, it became the southern rally song. It began:

"I wish I was in the land of cotton,

Old times dar am not forgotten,

Look a-way, look a-way, Dixie Land.

In Dixie land where I was born in

Early on one frosty mornin'.

Look a-way, look a-way, look a-way,

Dixie land.

To these stirring sentiments and tones may well be added, by us of this grand state, the inspiring words of "Illinois," altho it is a thing of quite recent production.

"By thy rivers, gently flowing,

Illinois, Illinois,

O'er thy prairies, verdant growing,

Illinois, Illinois,

Comes an echo on the breeze,

Rustling thru the leafy trees,

And its mellow tones are these,

Illinois, Illinois,

It should not be forgotten that C. H. Chamberlain wrote this last.

Our children and youth should be taught the soul-reaching words and tunes of these patriotic songs or hymns, for it is a poor country where people do not sing praises to their Creator and to their land.

On the west side, West State, West College Ave., Lafayette Ave., and North Fayette street, (near the ward and high school) are infested with bicyclists, careless and indifferent to the danger to pedestrians.

Sometime ago, the writer witnessed an "accident" on West State street near Fayette, where a lady, who was walking eastward, was struck in the back by a boy on a bicycle (also going eastward), and thrown violently on her face. The boy gave no warning and the rubber tires made no sound, and as the poor lady did not have eyes in the back of her head, she was helpless.

On Lafayette avenue, the writer was crowded on the foot pavement and told the bicyclist (a messenger boy in uniform) he had no legal right on the foot pavement, but should use the street pavement with his wheel. The boy's reply was an urgent invitation to the writer to "Go to Hell!"

Messenger "No. 40" as well as practically all the other messenger boys in the city, are addicted to the sidewalk habit. If there is no existing ordinance in our city against the use of foot pavements on paved streets for bicycle traffic, there certainly is great need of such a law. If there is such an ordinance, why is it not rigidly enforced?

(Signed) Pedestrian.

CAME TO PASSAVANT HOSPITAL

Alonzo Wood, a worthy young gentleman preparing for the ministry, has been suffering from symptoms of tuberculosis and he was brought to Passavant hospital for treatment where the facilities for such work are better than those enjoyed by the young man in the capital city.

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WILSON WILL ATTEND CELEBRATION TODAY

Notable Program Arranged for Anniversary Today

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21—All arrangements were perfected today for two elaborate celebrations to be held in the capital in honor of the 185th anniversary of the birth of George Washington. The observance of the anniversary promises to be the most notable of its kind held here in many years.

The first of the public celebrations will be conducted under the joint auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Sons of the American Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution. President Wilson has indicated his intention of attending the exercises, which are to be held tomorrow morning in Memorial Continental Hall. Guests of honor are to include the French ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, and special invitations have been extended to the diplomatic corps, cabinet officers, congressmen and the justices of the Supreme Court and others prominent in public life.

Addresses are to be made by Senator Atlee Pomerene of Ohio and Gen. Louis W. Stotesbury, adjutant general of the State of New York. The invocation is to be delivered by Rev. Dr. George H. McGrey, chaplain of the District of Columbia Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, while the benediction is to be pronounced by Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, chaplain of the Sons of the Revolution of the District of Columbia. The musical features of the program will

BIG TOURNAMENT OPENS AT DAVID PRINCE TONIGHT

Twenty Teams Will Strive for District Basketball Championship—Springfield Seems to Have Edge.

The high school basketball tournament opens at David Prince gymnasium tonight and will continue through Friday and Saturday, ending with the championship game Saturday night.

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night. The opener is between Bluffs and Rushville and the second game will be between Springfield and Mt. Sterling. Not much is known of Rushville but Bluffs has a good team and if the men are going right should give Rushville a run for her money. In Bierd at center, Bluffs has one of the strongest high school players in this section.

The game between Springfield and Mt. Sterling will attract more attention, however, as Springfield is considered by many followers of the game as being the strongest team in the district. This opinion is based not only on the fact that Springfield has won the district tournament here the last two years, but also on the showing this season.

If Springfield has not gone stale and her men are in good condition she looks like a good bet to repeat this year. Mt. Sterling is regarded as having a strong team and may upset the dope. At this time it looks as though Springfield will be turned the winner.

Springfield's work will be cut out for her this year early in the tournament or on Friday afternoon she must play White Hall, the runner-up last year. White Hall undoubtedly has one of the strongest teams entered and if she can't trim Springfield it looks as though there is little chance of any of the other teams doing it.

There are other good teams in the tournament. Among them is Pawnee. This team, while losing more games than it has won this season, is regarded by many as one of the dangerous teams. One thing is sure Pawnee is figuring on getting into the finals and also figures if the other teams play Springfield hard in the first games that they have a chance to cop.

In the figuring, however, Quincy, Virginia, and Waverly must not be left out. These teams are all strong and Waverly if the men have not gone stale from such a long season has a chance to beat any team entered.

While we are talking too Jacksonville must not be forgotten. Coach Hufford's squad has played some in and out basketball this season and it is difficult to figure just what the team will do. If the men can maintain the form displayed against Pawnee on the Pawnee floor last week they have a chance to beat anybody. Jacksonville has been lucky in the drawing and if she plays the game she is capable of playing no one need be surprised to see her in the finals.

CONSIDERING HAWAIIAN OFFER

Boston, Feb. 21.—Harry Fraze, president of the Boston American League Baseball club announced to-night that he was considering an offer made by business men of Honolulu to have the team do its spring training there in the spring of 1918. Mr. Fraze said the Hawaiians had agreed to pay all expenses.

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WASHINGTON

A Comparison of His Life with That of Napoleon

When Washington died, a private citizen, Napoleon Bonaparte, first consul of France, ordered the batte standards of France to be draped in mourning as a tribute to the greatest man of that, if not all, time.

Napoleon was then at the outset of the romantic career which soon diverted the contemporary mind from all others. He staggered the civilized world, overthrew existing institutions, and in defeat achieved greater glory than his conquerors.

His accomplishments still haunt the minds of men like old memories.

With time the fame of Washington has atrophied.

A school of misguided educators rewriting his character to suit their views of a public example have divested him of all human and interesting attributes.

Above party, he left none to express his memory.

The rapid march of events has constantly diverted the contemporary mind to modern issues forgetful of the crises which Washington overcame at the government's inception.

So it is that Napoleon universally today is acclaimed as the genius of geniuses, while the greater Washington rests in a comparatively forgotten grave.

As opposed to the general rule of great men, in some particular Washington and Napoleon were of universal greatness. When asked to name great generals the tongue runs lightly over the names of Marlborough, Frederick, Gustavus, Conde, Napoleon, Massena, Wellington, Von Moltke, Washington, Lee and Grant.

When statesmen are called for, Stein, Pitt, Cavour, Bonaparte, Lincoln, Washington, Bonaparte and Washington alone are found in both lists.

Neither aspired to literary distinction, yet the writings of each would entitle him to high consideration if they were not overshadowed by greater achievements.

Comparison between Washington and Napoleon is not easy.

Washington became commander-in-chief of an unorganized crowd. His natural genius and backwoods experience had to train officers and men alike; to organize a commissary and to lead an incompetent congress.

Bonaparte came to command an army inured to war and commanded by officers from corporals to major-generals; by men who had found their level on the striken field. Jourdan and Carnot in organization, Massena in battle, had achieved a perfection that Napoleon found hard to surpass.

Indeed it was that Napoleon accomplished tactical feats upon which Washington never ventured, and spoke scornfully of Washington's war as a war of outposts.

And yet, when measured on the grandest scale of adapting facilities at hand to the object to be achieved, the balance of success lies with Washington.

In doggedness, in maintaining a position in the face of impending destruction before the enemy, the siege of Boston will stand on equality with Rivoli or Eylau.

For desperate rapidity in attack under the pressure of necessity, Princeton can stand beside Marengo.

Washington's campaign through the Jerseys in 1777 is the only one in history comparable to Napoleon's defense in 1814. The march from the Hudson to Yorktown is a parallel to the one at Ulm. And to mingle defeat with victory, the battle of

WOLGSTAD SUFFERS NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Ad Wolgast of Cadillac, Mich., former world's lightweight champion is suffering from a general nervous breakdown, physician announced today.

The former champion's breakdown, physicians said was superinduced by excessive training and boxing. He probably will be removed to a health resort. He is twenty nine years old.

He follows at times to enforce his own judgment against the apparent desire of majority of the citizens, only to find that most of these citizens were willing to accept his judgment before their own.

When he finally retired to private life he left a nation made.

America shared the world's appreciation of the living Washington and has joined it in forgetting his greatness.

Has not the time come around to give him again the title so surely his—"The Greatest of Mankind?"

HOG PRICE REACHES \$12.95

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Hogs sold in five cents of \$13 a hundred pounds at the Union Stock Yards today the highest price paid in the history of the Chicago market. The unusual shortage of all kinds of meat is said to be responsible for the high price of hogs. A year ago today hogs sold in the Chicago market at \$8.85 a hundred pounds.

PASS SUFFRAGE BILL
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 21—Minnesota's house of representatives today passed the A. M. Peterson bill granting full suffrage to women by constitutional amendment. If passed by the senate, the amendment would be submitted to the electorate in the November election in 1918.

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PROMINENT BANKER TO BECOME CITIZEN

Otto H. Kahn of New York Only Recently Took Steps Leading to Naturalization.

New York, Feb. 21.—Otto H. Kahn, for nearly a quarter of a century prominent in banking circles in this city, celebrated his fiftieth birthday today, with the prospect that before another milestone is reached he shall have become a full-fledged citizen of the United States. Altho a resident of New York for 23 years and known as one of her most public spirited citizens, Mr. Kahn neglected to take out his naturalization papers until the beginning of the present international crisis, when he appeared before the proper authorities of Morris county, New Jersey, and began steps to gain American citizenship.

It was then that Napoleon used the crisis to make himself emperor. The thrifty he approached by securing life and property. To the patriots he appealed by bringing order out of chaos in government. The litigants he bound to him by re-establishing the administration of justice. The soldiers he conciliated by giving them a sense of security.

Through all his career he endeavored to conciliate the order by peaceful administration at home and to suppress political malcontents by successful wars abroad.

In crises Washington took the opposite course.

He used his influence to build up a government in which he should not be necessary.

He insisted upon order at home for the welfare of its citizens. He caused a strong and well ordered national finance to give strength to resolute foreign aggression.

War, which must result in additional power to himself, perhaps renewed dictatorship, he resisted at great loss of personal popularity.

Assaults upon his reputation and upon his popularity were not combated at risk of individual freedom, or avoided at risk of the national welfare.

When the two careers was the logical result of their living. The great military machine inherited by Napoleon was worn out in the using. The financial structure of the empire collapsed under the expence of his wars. The glory of his victories did not keep France from describing him in defeat. A combination of his enemies overthrew him in battles, overran his country, and re-established the monarchy.

Napoleon left France smaller, weaker, poorer, more primitive than he found it. All that she has since achieved has been won in spite of him.

Washington took command of a dozen rebellious colonies without organized government. He maintained an army of untrained men for seven years in the face of the best soldiers that Europe then knew. With such assistants as gathered around him he forged a splendid military weapon, and at the end achieved a notable strategic and tactical victory.

From war he turned to peace. The same unselfish, unequalled; the same control of men; the same endurance under pain; the same unerring judgment of the hour to strike was exerted for the balance of his life for his country in peace as it had been in war.

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FIRE AT VIRGINIA DOES LITTLE DAMAGE

Residence of Mrs. Emma Gaines Caught From Spark From Flue—Other Cass County News

Virginia, Ill., Feb. 21.—The residence of Mrs. Emma Gaines near the square caught fire from sparks from the flue Sunday morning but was discovered in time to prevent much loss. The fire department extinguished the blaze immediately. The damage is estimated at about \$100 by fire. The rain Sunday night did as much damage to the interior as a part of the roof was burned away.

Mrs. Frank Walton is seriously ill at her home near Anderson Station. Her illness is causing her relatives and friends much anxiety.

Mrs. Caroline Ryder of Chandlerville was a guest of the Henry Monroe household Tuesday.

Jas. W. Garner was a Jacksonville visitor Wednesday.

The Ladies Guild of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Gregory DeFrates Tuesday afternoon.

L. B. Thompson and Linus Monroe were business visitors in Jacksonville Monday.

Jake Taylor of Jacksonville was in this city Monday enroute to Hickory, where he attended the funeral of a relative.

Albert During has leased the property owned by Mrs. Hazel Weeks in this city and will occupy the same in the near future.

W. C. McNeely of the Mads hardware firm, was in northeast Cass Monday where he put up a pair of farm scales on the farm of Charles Sprinkle.

R. A. Garner and Miss Noda Coulson of Chapin motored to this city Sunday and spent the day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Garner on Sylvania avenue.

Wm. Case of East Cass purchased 12 head of milch cows at the John Rumble sale in this city Tuesday paying \$72.50 per head.

Miss Gertrude Turner an employee of the Cass County Telephone exchange is very ill at her home with pneumonia.

Geo. Virgin is a patient at a Springfield hospital where he recently was operated on for relief for appendicitis.

Miss Olive Fielder a teacher in the Ashland public schools was the guest of relatives in this city over Sunday.

Geo. Unghett of Jacksonville was the guest of his family in this city over Sunday. Mr. Unghett will remove his family to Jacksonville next week.

Wm. Watkins is confined to his home the past week with a severe cold.

Johan Rowan and sister returned from a visit with relatives in East St. Louis Saturday.

Mrs. Walt Kilkendall is mourning the loss of her flock of 24 beautiful White Orpington chickens which took French leave Monday night. They were ably assisted by sneak thieves, who are becoming quite numerous in this vicinity.

Mrs. Ellen Smith is the guest of her daughters Mrs. Frank Brown in Roanoke, Ill., this week.

Miss Zella Hackman of Arenzville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

ARMENIANS NOW IN SORE PLIGHT

The Far Away From War There is Great Suffering in That Devastated Land

London, Feb. — (Special Correspondence) — It is easier to win help for lands like Belgium and Serbia which have been the battlefields of this war than for those remote places like Armenia where the suffering is by-product.

Far away as she is from the main conflict, Armenia has suffered more in this war than any devastated land in Europe. She is like a victim met by troops on the march and beaten and stabbed and left to die. There is nothing in her misery to make a headline or a battle cry. It is just dumb suffering lying by the road.

These people were not in the war. They were hard-working, quiet Christian people too poor, too helpless and too mild to be enemies to anybody. One third of the race are dead of massacre, starvation and pestilence and one half of the remainder are homeless and hopeless wanderers, dying in exile, where nobody but the Americans can save them. We cannot, and our enemies will not. That they are alive at all is in a great measure due to your countrymen.

None but your countrymen can now save them from extinction.

GRACE CHAPEL

Uncle Hugh Gilmore is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Anna Bridgeman and family.

Chester Brainer and family are the proud possessors of a new Ford, purchased from Crum of Literberry a few days ago.

Wall Mason and family motored to Jacksonville Saturday afternoon in their Maxwell car.

Mr. and Mrs. Othie Holt of near Arenzville visited Monday with Mrs. Hannah Brainer and family.

Last week seemed to be moving time in this vicinity. Warren Blanning and family moved to a farm near Lynnville, Joe Wester of the vicinity of Concord moved to the Silcox farm and L. A. Cox and family have moved to Carrie Dietrich's farm near Concord.

Floyd Goodpasture was a business caller in Arenzville Saturday.

Mrs. Lottie Barber and daughter Margaret spent a few days last week with Mrs. Henry Brainer who has been ill but is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Ethel Virgin and son George visited Thursday with Oscar Bridgeman and family and returned by way of Jacksonville, making the trip in their Chevrolet car.

Charlie Brainer and wife of near Arenzville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brainer and called on home folks Sunday afternoon.

Quite a crowd of young folks gathered at the home of R. P. Goodpasture and charivaried Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Goodpasture Monday night.

Mr. Black will install a new acetylene light plant at the chapel this week.

Mrs. Frank Gitt visited with her daughter and family of Virginia Sunday.

CONCORD

Mrs. Elmer Hale of Table Grove was in Concord Thursday returning from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Welsh of Winchester.

The elevator owned by John Nord sold came near burning on Friday morning but was prevented by the timely help of the local crew trainmen, neighbors and all we are happy to state.

Mrs. Roy Crouse has been visiting in Chicago for some time.

Mrs. Ed. Daly and family of East St. Louis were in Concord Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Daly's mother, Mrs. Thomas Finch whose death removed one of Concord's well beloved citizens. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frazier and family of Rock Bridge were also here on the same sad occasion. Mrs. Frazier being Mrs. Finch's daughter also.

Ora Hamm has been quite indisposed for several days with the prevailing malady grippe, also B. A. Cratz, John Nord, Merle Abernathy and Clark Caldwell.

Joseph Wester moved from Miss Carrie Dietrich's farm recently to James Silcox's place and says he is now a full fledged Cracker Bender.

Isaac Cox moved to Miss Dietrich's place.

Mrs. Mary A. Hamm entertained quite a company of young people Wednesday evening in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Marie Moss of Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Goodpasture returned Saturday from their bridal trip to St. Louis and other places of interest and will reside east of Concord. Heartiest congratulations are extended these estimable young people for an especially prosperous matrimonial journey.

Mrs. Walter McCarty and mother, Mrs. Trainer of Beardstown, also Mrs. Ray Trainer and baby of Beardstown spent Saturday morning and returned for a visit with the hospitable household of Walter McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Thompson of Jacksonville spent the weekend with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Smith.

Glenn E. Caldwell returned Monday from a business trip to St. Louis and Rock Island.

HAS NOT RECEIVED REPLY

Mexico City, Mex., Feb. 20.—The reply of the United States government to the recent note of general Carranza in which it was proposed to place an embargo on all supplies and munitions to the belligerents as an embargo on all supplies and munitions to the belligerents as a means of bringing the European war to an end had not arrived tonight, according to an announcement made at the foreign office. No replies from European countries have yet been received.

S. A. Bracewell of Murrayville came to the city yesterday for a visit with the family of P. R. Briggs on Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Keemer of Scott county visited yesterday with Mr. Keemer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orlean Keemer, north of the long bridge.

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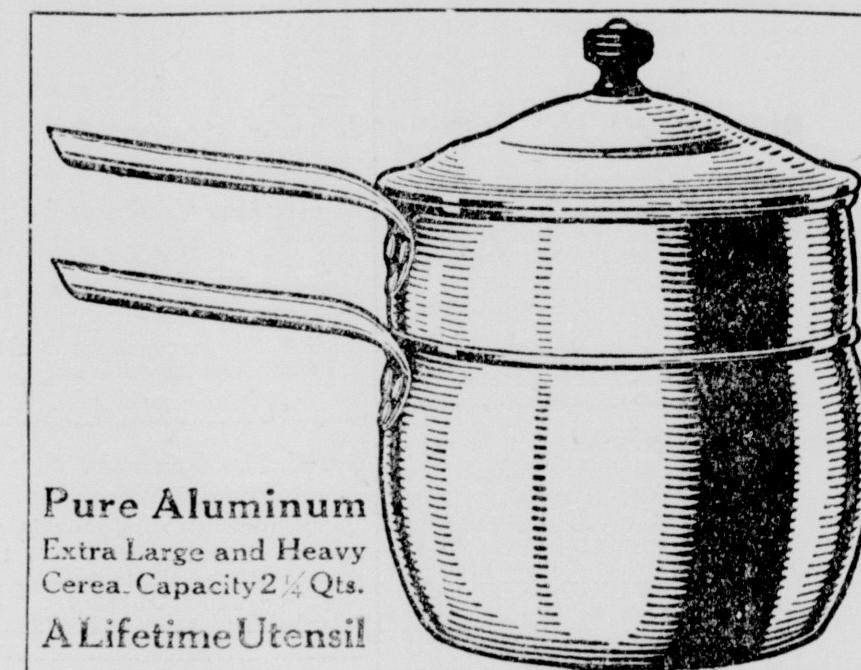
Next week the grocers of this city will once more feature this Quaker Cooker offer. And for the last time, we believe.

We have supplied Cookers now to over 1,000,000 homes. We have supplied these guaranteed Aluminum Cookers for \$1 to Quaker Oats users. But this offer ends with our present supply, and probably forever. Unless Aluminum drops 50 per cent, we cannot again offer a Cooker like this for \$1.

But next week only we make the offer below. You can get this Cooker for \$1, by buying two of our cereals which should be cooked in it.

This offer is made to induce better cooking. To bring you Quaker Oats and Pettijohn's cooked in perfect form, with the flavor kept intact. Our reward will come in your doubled delight in these foods.

We ask the trademarks just to show that you use our cereals. Unless you have the right flakes, right cooking does not help much. But, if you use Quaker Oats and Pettijohn's, this cooker is yours for \$1. This is for one week only. Get the packages from any grocer named below.



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L. A. Barnhart, 301 S. Main street.
M. R. Fitch, 300 S. Main street.
Bergschneider & Kumle, 220 S. Main street.
Andrew Leck, 229 E. State street.
P. J. Shanahan, 237 E. State street.
Suiter's, 600 S. Diamond street.
R. Madison & Son.
J. F. Mendousa.
C. D. Jackson, 1358 S. East street.

L. F. Sanders, 217 South Main street.
Schmalz & Sons, 52 N. Side Square.
J. F. Woulfe, 738 E. North street.
Miller Bros.
James F. Large.
J. H. Zell.
M. D. Shanahan, 310 E. State street.
L. H. Whitlock, 327 E. Morton avenue.
H. Weber & Sons, 208 E. State street.
P. R. Briggs, 260 Pine street.
W. F. Cook, 113 E. North street.
B. F. Henderson, 801 N. Main street.
D. L. Bentley, 826 W. Lafayette avenue.
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Cosgriff Bros., College and Prairie street.

W. M. Coverly, 219 S. Sandy street.
T. A. Ebrey, 700 S. Diamond St.
S. E. Crum.
C. C. Williams.
James Burge, Church and Anna street.
W. H. Dalton.
Frank Ferreira.
W. C. Howe, 475 S. Clay avenue.
Vanner China & Coffee House, 232 W. State St.
Taylor, The Grocer, 221 W. State street.
John Frank, Cor. Prairie St. and Lafayette Ave.
Chas. L. Keehner, 701 N. Main street.
A. B. Kinnett.
George T. Douglas, 234 W. State street.

July 3, 1906, and lived together until July, 1912. Mrs. Kennedy alleges that her husband deserted her at that time. She is seeking for divorce and for the custody of their daughter, now ten years of age.

COURT HOUSE WILL CLOSE. The court house will be closed to-day on account of Washington's birthday, a legal holiday.

LICENSED TO MARRY. G. C. Stewart, Peoria; Iva Hagie, Waltonville; Charles Martin, Alexander; Lula Wilkerson, Alexander; Thomas Butler, Woodson; Sarah F. Irlam, Woodson; Edward Staake, Beardstown; Magdalene Trickey, Meredosia.

TO RELIEVE CAR SHORTAGE. Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—

Interstate Commerce Commission with a view to solving the car shortage problem, with particular reference to coal cars, are to be put into effect today. The new rules provide among other things, for the forwarding to destination of foreign cars under load and the prompt handling of empty foreign cars. In the case of coal cars it is believed that the strict enforcement of the new rules will help materially to bring about a reduction of the present high price of coal.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. F. P. Dawson to Fred Strandberg, lot 43 Edgmon's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

A. G. Pond to James Gallaway, north half southeast quarter southwest quarter 13-16-13, \$1.

George Naylor to H. C. Pond, the north half southeast quarter southwest quarter, 13-16-13, \$1.

F. H. Bates et al to Frank N. Vieira, lot 64 and 65 Berdan's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE. A suit for divorce has been filed by E. Etter of Waverly for Inez E. Kennedy, who is seeking divorce from her husband, Grover Cleveland Kennedy. The two were married

two will have an opportunity to gratify that desire today, when the Missouri Pacific Railway and the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railroad are to be sold at public auction. The sales of the two roads are to clear the way for the ending of the receivership of the Missouri-Pacific-Iron Mountain system. It is expected the only bidder will be the reorganization committee.

Mrs. J. J. Lukeman has returned from a visit with friends in the region of Franklin.

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